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BILL NO. R-94-05-/

RESOLUTION NO. 2-34-94

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA ACKNOWLEDGING MAY 31, 1994 AS "WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY."

WHEREAS, the United Nations has declared May 31, 1994 as "World No Tobacco Day;" and

WHEREAS, the United Nations has declared 1994 "International Year of the Family," with local activities being sponsored through the Fort Wayne Healthy Cities Committee; and

WHEREAS, families are devastated by the ravages tobacco use resulting in lung cancer, heart attacks, strokes, asthma, sudden infant death syndrome, miscarriage, stillbirth and premature birth; and

WHEREAS, it is especially significant that "World No Tobacco Day" is celebrated on the day following Memorial Day, as our nation mourns its lost soldiers; and

WHEREAS, approximately 490,000 Americans die prematurely each year from cigarette smoking, compared to 126,000 American soldiers killed in World War I and 309,000 killed in World War II; and

WHEREAS, each year more Americans die from smokingrelated diseases than die from AIDS, drug abuse, car accidents and homicide -- COMBINED; and

WHEREAS, the recognition and celebration of "World No Tobacco Day", spearheaded by Project A.S.S.I.S.T. -- Coalition for a Tobacco-Free Society, offers an opportunity, to those addicted to tobacco products, to quit.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA THAT IT RECOGNIZES AND CELEBRATES MAY 31, 1994 AS "WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY.

COUNCILMEMBER ,

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY.

Stanley A. Levine Legal Advisor to

Fort Wayne Common Council

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